SAA09FY12-005

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B/L: 389.00 SYS: 250-TON

BRIDGE CRANE, VAB

Critical Item: Relay, Hook Swivel Control (4 Total, 2/Crane)

CW, CCW (1 ea/Crane) Find Number:

Criticality Category:

System/Area: 250-Ton Bridge Crane SAA No: 09FY12-005

(#1 & #2)/VAB

K60-0533, K60-0534/ PMN/ NASA

250-Ton Bridge Crane Name: Part No: NA

(#1 & #2)/VAB

69-K-L-11388/ Drawing/ General Electric/ Mfg/

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Function: Provides AC connection to run hook swivel motor clockwise (CW) or counterclockwise (CCW).

Critical Failure Mode/Failure Mode No:

Falls activated (contacts remain in the energized position)/

- 09FY12-005.070 (CW)
- 09FY12-005.071 (CCW)

Fallure Cause: Welded contact, blinding mechanism

Failure Effect: The critical load (Orbiter or ET) will continue to swivel when commanded to stop, possibly contacting the work platforms or the shuttle stack causing possible damage to a vehicle system. Time to effect; seconds.

ACCEPTANCE RATIONALE

Design:

Actual Contact Ratings 120 volts 600 volts

Testing required 30 amps

- Contact Material: Silver Cadmium Oxide.
- This relay was off-the-shelf hardware selected by the crane manufacturer for this application.

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Test:

- OMRSD file VI requires verification of proper performance of hoist operational test annually.
- QMI Q3008, Operating Instructions, requires all crane systems be operated briefly in all speeds to verify satisfactory operation before lifting operations.

Inspection:

 OMI Q6003 requires annual check of contacts and contact members for burning, pitting proper alignment and discoloration caused by overheating.

Fallure History:

- The PRACA database was researched and no failure data was found on this component in the critical failure mode.
- The GIDEP failure data interchange system was researched and no failure data was found on this component in the critical failure mode.

Operational Use:

- Correcting Action:
 - When the failure indication is noticed, the operator can stop all crane operations by pressing the E-Stop button.
 - Operators are trained and certified to operate these cranes and know and understand what to do if a failure Indication is present.
 - 3) During all critical lifts, there is at least one remote Emergency Stop (E-Stop) operator observing the load lift, and can stop the crane if a failure indication is noticed.
- Timeframe:
 - Estimated operator reaction time is 3 to 10 seconds.

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